



# A weekly publication

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### THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR REMINDERS

Saturday, Dec. 24th - 3 p.m. - **Christmas Eve Dinner - D**ining Room, - Bring your table setting *(Keep track of regularly scheduled weekly activities on the monthly Team-up calendar)* 

🙀 🙀 December Sunshine Person is Susie Varner Lot #105 - (541)-941-1506🙀 🔅

# HO, HO, HO, THE HOLIDAYS!

We all get busy this time of year and we simply find it necessary to cut back a few things for a short spell. Chair Volleyball will take a hiatus through the remainder of December and will resume play in January on Sunday afternoons at 1 o'clock. If you haven't played yet, take this opportunity to resolve to give it a try. The more people the more fun. No special skill required and be assured that all the others are no more a pro than you. It is good exercise and FUN!

## HAVE YOU SIGNED UP?



Don't miss out on coming events and attractions. They are for you, you know. Christmas Eve Dinner will be another scrumptious feast and entertaining good time at 3 p.m. — New Year 's Eve promises to be a happy event full of wishes, resolutions you never knew you'd make, learning new identities and rock racing. All this happening from 6:30 'til



the ball drops at 9 o'clock. See the posters and signup sheets and COME!

### TIMBER VALLEY ELVES AT WORK



Last Wednesday Timber Valley bakers and candy makers came forth with a wonderful assortment of festive holiday goodies, which we arranged on trays and delivered to delighted recipients at both the police department and the fire department. We all here in the park truly do appreciate having our law enforcement and firemen close by and they are quick to come to our aid throughout the year when we need it You should have seen their eyes light up when we arrived carrying the trays.

# WE MUST CHECK OUR FILES

Recent events have made it clear to the office staff that each and every member of our park must check to see that their beneficiary and other vital contact information is correct on office files and update it if incorrect. For those of us in the park for the winter, we should be doing it soon. For those out of the park, put it on your to do list as soon as you return. Some files haven't been updated in up to 10 years. Emergency situations can come up as a complete surprise. We must have these files in order.

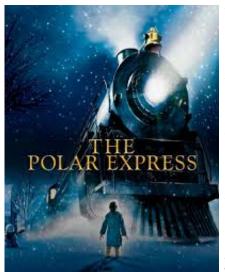
## PROPANE PROCEDURES

Just a reminder, pay for your propane refills BEFORE you haul your tanks home. The office offers an easier way to handle your payments. You may pre-pay your bill by creating a fund to be drawn from. Each time one of your tanks is filled a receipt will appear in your mail box listing the purchase and the balance remaining. It is easier for everyone that way. Give it a try.

#### **MOVIE NIGHT**

December 22. As always, free popcorn starting at 5:30. Movie starts at 6:00

# **POLAR EXPRESS**



Join us at the Club House on December 22 as Tom Hanks and director Robert Zemeckis ("Forrest Gump"; "Cast Away") reunite for "Polar Express," an inspiring adventure based on the beloved children's book by Chris Van Allsburg. When a doubting young boy takes an extraordinary train ride to the North Pole. Late on Christmas Eve, after the town has gone to sleep, a boy boards the mysterious train that waits for him--The Polar Express. When the boy arrives at the North Pole, Santa Claus offers him any gift he desires. The boy asks only for a bell from the harness of Santa's reindeer. But on the way home, the bell is lost. Christmas morning, the boy finds the bell under the Christmas tree, and when he shakes it, the bell makes the most beautiful sound he's ever heard. His mother admires the bell, but she laments that it is broken ... for, you see, only a true believer can hear the sound of the bell.

We will resume serving pepper bellies and hot dogs after the Holidays.

#### SOCIAL HOUR SCORES ANOTHER CROWD

Jill Goldman, Lot #68 provided nearly 40 of us with an informative, fun and delicious time on Friday while she informed us about Chanukah. She was happy to answer questions and in fact will be more than glad to answer any questions about her faith from people as we see her around the park.. She presented us all with our own Dreidel and Gelt and then treated us to tasty Chanukah treats prepared in the kitchen by a helpful crew who served latkes with applesauce, blintzes and jelly donut holes. Many thanks to Jill for this welcome presentation.







